1 2 3 4 5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 7 DISTRICT OF NEVADA 8 9 TONEY A. WHITE, Case No. 2:17-cv-00760-RFB-GWF 10 Plaintiff, ORDER 11 ٧. 12 D. HENDERSON et al., 13 Defendants. 14 DISCUSSION I. 15 Plaintiff, a pro se inmate, previously filed an application to proceed in forma 16 pauperis and submitted a civil rights complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. (ECF No. 17 1-1, 4). The Court has not yet screened the complaint. 18 Plaintiff now files a motion for voluntary dismissal. (ECF No. 7). Pursuant to 19 Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1), a plaintiff may dismiss an action without a court 20 order by filing "a notice of dismissal before the opposing party serves either an answer or 21 a motion for summary judgment." Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i). The Court grants 22 Plaintiff's motion to voluntarily dismiss this action because no responsive pleading has 23 been filed in this case. As such, the Court dismisses this action without prejudice. 24 II. CONCLUSION 25 For the foregoing reasons, IT IS ORDERED that the motion for voluntary dismissal 26 (ECF No. 7) is granted. 27

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this action is dismissed in its entirety without prejudice. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall enter judgment accordingly. DATED this 10th day of January, 2018. RICHARD F. BOULWARE, II UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE